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TWO BODIES FOUND.
In the Ruins of the Tarrant Building, New York.
(Associated Press.)
New York, Nov. 8.—Two mutilated bodies were found to-day in the ruins of the Tarrant Co. building. One was identified as that of Hamilton Mathews, a driver employed by Tarrant & Co., and the other as that of Tarrant's missing shipping clerk, Wm. Moorehouse. It was said that Moorehouse was the only person who knew just what chemicals were stored in this building at the time of the explosion.

WILL PAY INDEMNITY.
(Associated Press.)
Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 8.—A dispatch from Washington to the Express says: "In a dispatch to the secretary of state, Mr. Everett, the charge d'affaires of the United States at Guatemala, says he has received a telegram from minister of foreign affairs at Honduras, saying that the Honduras government has directed the immediate payment of the indemnity demanded by the United States for the murder of Frank Pears, and that a draft will be forwarded at once."

WANT JUNTA SUPPRESSED.
(Associated Press.)
New York, Nov. 8.—Great Britain will be requested by the government to suppress the Filipino junta at Hong Kong, says a Washington special to the World. The administration has had this in contemplation for some time, and now that no political obstacle presents itself, the action is to be taken without delay.

BLIZZARD.
(Associated Press.)
Minneapolis, Nov. 8.—A blizzard is bearing down upon this section. The weather has turned cold, and heavy snowstorms are reported from various places. New Richmond, Wis., reports five inches with snow still falling and the wind blowing a gale.

JAPAN'S NEW WARSHIP.
(Associated Press.)
London, Nov. 8.—The Japanese battleship Mikasa, of 15,200 tons, said to be the most formidable vessel of its kind in the world, was launched this morning at the Vickers-Maxim works at Barrow.

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THE CONSERVATIVES OVERWHELMED

The Laurier Government Has Been Returned to Power For Another Term.

TORY LEADERS SUFFER DEFEAT.

Standing of the Parties—Sir Richard Cartwright on the Results in Ontario—Hugh J. Macdonald May Run in Burrard.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Nov. 8.—The only minister who is in town to-day is Hon. R. W. Scott, who is naturally very well pleased over the large majority by which the government has been sustained. All other ministers are in their districts.
Sir Richard Cartwright.
Ottawa, Nov. 8.—Sir Richard Cartwright came into the city to-day. He is more than well pleased over the election returns. He recognizes that the Conservative party is now out of existence, and that new leaders will have to be found. In Ontario he considers that the Liberals had done well, when it is considered how this province is bound and fettered with an iniquitous gerrymander.
Hugh John May Oppose Maxwell.
Vancouver, Nov. 8.—It is understood that a proposal is well under way to bring out Hugh John Macdonald to oppose G. B. Maxwell in place of Mayor Gordon. The Liberals here declare that this would simply have the effect of increasing Mr. Maxwell's majority.
Eastern Opinion.
Ottawa, Nov. 8.—The Evening Journal says on the elections: "The extraordinary spectacle of a province almost unanimously, practically, is due chiefly to the tactics of some 'cray' Conservatives in Ontario who have 'transcended' the brain. The Toronto Mail, the Toronto World and the Hamilton Spectator, secure in their own selfish interests through having practically none but English speaking and Protestant readers, made a wretched campaign against the Liberals based chiefly on the alleged Frenchism of Laurier and Tarte. At the last moment the Toronto World capped the climax by a full page article under daring headlines asking if this country was to be English or French, to be ruled by English-speaking men or by French traitors, for such was the implication, like Laurier and Tarte, French-Canadian papers throughout Quebec and the people of Quebec would have been less than human if they had failed to respond to such gross insults to their position and record in this country."

Summary of Elections.

	Libs.	Cons.	Inds.
Ontario	25	53	2
Quebec	56	8	..
New Scotia	14	6	..
New Brunswick	0	5	..
Prince Edward Island	4	1	..
Manitoba	3	4	..
Northwest Territories	3	1	..
British Columbia	2	2	..
Totals	120	80	2

Five elections to be held.

Tory Leaders Defeated.
One of the most remarkable features of the elections was the defeat of Conservative leaders. In Cape Breton Sir Charles Tupper was snuffed under, while in St. John, N. B., G. E. Foster suffered defeat at the hands of Hon. A. G. Blair. Hugh John Macdonald resigned the premiership of Manitoba to fight Hon. Clifford Sifton in Brandon, and was sworn before the Minister of the Interior, Messrs. Cron, J. G. H. Bergeron and W. H. Montague were also defeated.

LORD MAYOR INSTALLED.
(Associated Press.)
London, Nov. 8.—Alderman Frank Green, who was elected Lord Mayor of London on September 9th, was formally installed in that office at Guildhall this afternoon.
Lord Mayor Green is a native of Maidstone, Kent, and is a paper merchant. His wife, a daughter of Jos. Hayden, the author of the Dictionary of Dates, died last winter, and she was before the Minister of the Interior, Messrs. Cron, J. G. H. Bergeron and W. H. Montague were also defeated.

McKINLEY'S PLURALITY.
McKinley Returns Are Now Nearly Complete.
(Associated Press.)
San Francisco, Nov. 8.—Nearly complete returns show: McKinley, 150,252; Bryan, 112,283; plurality for McKinley, 38,000.
Reorganizing Democratic Party.
Chicago, Nov. 8.—A special to the Chronicle from Detroit says: "Don M. McKinnon is authority for the statement that within three weeks a meeting will be held in New York city to outline a plan of reorganization for the Democratic party. He says the call for the meeting will have the signatures of prominent Democrats. The meeting, Mr. McKinnon says, will be attended by Democrats of both gold and silver leanings. The call for the meeting will be mailed in a few days throughout the land appealing to all Democrats, gold and silver alike."

FIGHT WITH NEGROES.
(Associated Press.)
Washington, Nov. 8.—The greatest excitement prevailed here at a late hour last night and a serious race war was feared before morning. Four members of Company H, 10th Regiment, who were patrolling the town, were attacked on Main street by negroes and all badly injured. Both whites and blacks were out on the streets in force, and the citizens of the town were in a dangerous mood.
—A large invoice of 1847 Roger Bros.' superior quality Silver-plated Novelties opened this week at Walker's.



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Crocker Disappointed

At the Result of the Presidential Election—The Cause of Defeat.

Interview With Senator Hanna, Who Says It Is "A Veritable Republican Landslide."

New York, Nov. 7.—Richard Crocker said today: "I was very much surprised and disappointed at the way the election turned out. I did expect Mr. Bryan to be elected president of the United States." Asked for the cause of defeat, he replied: "I believe that 15 to 1 had a lot to do with the vote against Bryan in this state. What the cause was in the Southern States and Eastern States I do not know. I do not regard the decision of the country as adverse to Mr. Bryan as a man. It was against his principles. He is a magnificent representative man."

Governor Stone, of Missouri, chairman of the Democratic committee, made the following statement today: "The battle is over. The Democratic party of the country accept the result without complaint as in duty bound. It signifies but little now to analyze the influences or to discuss the causes that brought about the result. There will be a wide difference of opinion as to that. This I will say, however, that the Democratic party must and will stand unengaged in the defense of the constitution and for the preservation unimpaired of our institutions. A colonial policy would be destructive of the Republic, and we should resist every effort to establish it. I have always favored the annexation in a proper way of the islands adjacent to our coast, but have opposed the annexation of a large domain in the Eastern Hemisphere for reasons stated during the campaign. The Democratic party must stand firm in the defense of the constitution while, at the same time, it should take an advanced and progressive position looking to the development and promotion of our maritime and commercial interests. The Missouri Democrats' platform of 1896 expressed my views on the political question: all I say now is what I have said many times before, that the Democratic party must be affirmative as well as progressive. Mr. Bryan made a great fight. He is one of the most remarkable men of history. He may never be president, but whether in politics or private life, no man in the United States will hold a more commanding place and none will be capable of exerting a greater influence for the public good. May God bless him."

Result Most Gratifying.
Cleveland, O., Nov. 7.—Senator Hanna did not reach his office until afternoon today. He found a perfect deluge of congratulatory telegrams piled on his desk.

"It is a veritable Republican landslide," he said. "It is even better than we expected, especially in Indiana and Nebraska. The general result is indeed most gratifying."

Mr. Hanna said that he preferred not to give out a general statement of the result until he thoroughly canvassed the returns.

German Opinions.
Berlin, Nov. 7.—In German government circles all are delighted at President McKinley's reelection. The United States embassy today received a message to that effect.

Dr. von Hollenbach, the German ambassador to the United States, who is now in this city, said to the correspondent of the Associated Press about the result: "We all rejoice over it."

Dr. Barth, the Freinsinger leader, said: "I consider Mr. McKinley's reelection, all things considered, the best result, although I cannot endorse his imperialistic tendency. Yet I regard his election as more a confirmation of the interests of general civilization when compared with the results which Mr. Bryan's election would have brought. For the economic interests of both the United States and Germany, the present result is also most satisfactory."

The *Tageblatt* says: "The Germans greet McKinley's reelection above all as a victory for sound currency over revolutionary monetary experiments, which would have been calculated to most severely shake the basis of the entire world's commerce. Anyhow, Germany's policy is to run close and loyal relations with the head of a country that is connected with us by economic and national ties as is the United States. There are in no part of the world serious differences between the United States and Germany. In China both powers have marched on the same lines after Mr. McKinley's first feeling of distrust regarding Germany's alleged territorial schemes subsided."

ASTOUNDING DISCOVERY.

From Cooper'sville, Mich., comes word of a wonderful discovery of a pleasant tasting liquid that when used before retiring by any one troubled with a bad cough always ensures a good night's rest. "It will cure the cough too," writes Mrs. S. H. Hildebrand, "for three generations of our family have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and never found it equal for Coughs and Colds." It is an unrivaled life-saver when used for desperate lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c, and \$1.00 at P. W. Fawcett & Co. Trial bottle free.

Officials Executed

They Were Responsible For Murder of British and American Missionaries.

Boxer Chiefs Shot—Chinese Powder Thieves Cause a Fatal Explosion.

Peking, Nov. 7.—Count von Waldersee approved the sentence of death passed upon the five leading officials at Pao Ting Fu whom the commissioners of inquiry found responsible for the murder of United States and British missionaries.

Villages Destroyed.
Tien Tsin, Nov. 6.—Gen. Lord Campbell's column has returned to Tien Tsin, having burned and shelled altogether 20 villages. He found the country in general ostentatiously friendly.

The Russians sent two columns from Lu Tai to Yang Tse on Sunday. Ting Yang, vicar of Chihli, the Tartar general, Kwei Heng, and Col. Wang Hu Me were shot at Pao Ting Fu by order of the court-martial.

The French have arrested Chung Li, president of the board of revenue, near Peking.

Chiefs Killed.
Tung, Nov. 7.—A British column under Gen. Richardson left Pao Ting Fu on October 28th, marching in the direction of Peking. At Tung Mr. Ling the troops tried three Boxer chiefs, destroyers of a chapel and killers of the native Christians. The British shot the chiefs.

Fatal Explosion.
London, Nov. 7.—The following dispatch from Major-Gen. Lorne Campbell has been received by the secretary of state for India: "At Tung Ling the Chinese attempted to steal powder, and caused an explosion. Two soldiers and three camp followers were killed; and four camp followers were injured. A large number of Chinese were killed or wounded owing to their wadded coats catching fire."

Another large shipment of superior quality All-Wool White and Grey Blankets, also Crib Blankets in all sizes, at Weiler's.

NAPOLEON AT ST. HELENA.

On our approaching Napoleon turned quickly round to receive us, and, taking off his hat, put it under his arm. His reception was not only not dignified or graceful, but absolutely vulgar and authoritative. He put a series of questions to Mr. Raffles in such quick succession as to render it impossible to reply to one before another was put. His first request was to have Mr. Raffles's name pronounced distinctly. He then asked him in what country he was born. How long had he been in India? Whether he had accompanied the expedition against the island of Java? All these questions were put with great rapidity, and, before he had time to answer them, he was turned round to Captain Graham and myself, asked our names, and what service we had seen. On his making a slight inclination of the head, we prepared to take our leave, and on making our bow we parted. Napoleon continued his walk and we returned to the house—"Sir Stamford Raffles," by H. R. Egerton.

How Will She End?

Just budding into womanhood, so fresh, so fair and fine that we turn to watch her as she passes, she trips along the street a picture of health and beauty. Among the passing wrinkled women, she looks a being from another world. Will she ever be like them? Could they once have been as fair as she? No beauty can last under the strain and drain of female weakness, from which the majority of women suffer in a greater or less degree. They might preserve their fairness of face and form if they would cure the disastrous diseases which affect the womanly organs. Women are cured of such diseases by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It stops the enfeebling drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, cures bearing-down pains, strengthens the nervous system, and restores the general health. It contains no opium, cocaine or other narcotic.



"I had been a great sufferer from female weakness," writes Mrs. M. B. Wallace, of Muscatine, Cook Co., Iowa. "I tried four doctors and none did me any good. I suffered six years, but at last I found relief. I followed your advice, and took eight bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and four of his 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I now feel like a new woman. I have gained eighteen pounds."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure biliousness.

THE ELECTIONS IN VICTORIA

Keen Regret Felt at the Defeat of the Government Candidates, Messrs. Riley and Drury.

Victoria Electors Jubilate Over the Return to Power of a Government Which Gave Canada Progress, Prosperity and Stability.

The reception of the returns in the city was not marked by any unusual scenes of excitement. By the time most of the electors had gone home from their work, had their dinner and returned to Broad street, sufficient returns had been bulletined to indicate unmistakably that the government had been returned with at least its own majority—a result which did not come at all as a surprise.

To those who had worked so energetically for the return of the government candidates, the progress of the count was, of course, disappointing. At first it looked as if Mr. Drury would lead Mr. Earle, but as the poll progressed it became evident that the old representatives of the city would again be returned.

Some fear was expressed in the evening regarding the election in New Westminster, where the returns showed Dewdney leading Morrison by a substantial majority. This was the impression when the Liberal parade started from Broad street. Shortly after it had gone, however, later dispatches showed Morrison leading, and a bulletin with this announcement greeted the workers as they again came along Broad street, creating great cheering. The returns to date give the seat to Anlay Morrison, Liberal, the figures being as follows:

	Smith, Sloan, Wolley.
Nanaimo City	959 613 532
South Wellington	22 12 25
Saanich and Lake	91 21 144
Extension	16 48 26
Cobbie Hill	5 8 21
Parkville	10 6 15
Cumberland	88 60 77
Comox	38 52 28
Union Bay	8 5 13
Sooke	11 7 29
Wellington	129 120 107
Alberni	41 52 30
Lower Salt Spring Id.	24 9 15
Duncan	34 30 74
Chemahmus	28 6 18
Total	1456 1067 1093

On the third flat of the Times building, in the offices of the B. C. Photo-Engraving Company, Mr. Fleming, of the photographic firm of Fleming Bros., threw the bulletins on a large screen on the right, where they could be quickly read by the crowd in the streets below. Large pictures of the candidates, of the premier, and many of the cabinet ministers were also displayed, together with cartoons. The picture of the premier never failed to create great cheering, and the candidates were almost as highly honored. At the market building, two members of the Times staff watched the count and telephoned the figures as they were obtained to the Times office. When the city election was no longer in doubt the feelings of the crowd were well represented by the expression of one gentleman, that "we are generally jubilant, but locally sad."

The greatest interest was centred in the fight in Cape Breton, Brandon and in Nanaimo and New Westminster. The defeat of Sir Charles and Hugh John in the first named constituencies was greeted with great cheering.

Shortly after 9 o'clock the opposition organized a procession, which headed by the band, passed through the crowd which almost blocked the passage in front of the Times office. Naturally the parade did not meet with great favor at that point, and the groans with which the two successful candidates were greeted, almost drowned the crash of the band.

Ten minutes later a bigger parade moved from in front of the Times building, headed by a band, and with blowing merrily as torches. The storm of cheers which greeted Messrs. Riley and Drury as they drove through the principal streets indicated unmistakably where were concerned they were the favorites.

The Figures.
Although the returning officer, John G. Brown, will not make his official declaration of the result until Saturday, the 10th, yet the count as made last night will not be materially altered. The number of rejected ballots is naturally the same. The vote stood as follows:

	Prior, Earle, Drury, Riley.
Willows	33 30 24 22
Parson's Bridge	30 28 15 15
Cedar Hill	50 48 23 23
Boleskine Road	74 69 45 46
Esquimalt	90 84 65 70
Metcalfe	43 41 29 17
Total	329 300 192 193
City	1545 1473 1400 1447
Grand Total	1874 1773 1698 1638
Majority for Opposition	115

There was thus only seven votes between Mr. Drury and Mr. Earle in the city, and that may be changed on a recount. The results in the suburban places, however, place the result beyond question. They are as follows:

	Drury	Earle	Prior	Riley
Drury	1406	1473	1545	1445
Prior	1406	1473	1545	1445
Earle	1406	1473	1545	1445
Riley	1406	1473	1545	1445
Total	1406	1473	1545	1445
Majority for Conservatives	103	1564	1461	1361

ELSEWHERE IN B. C.
In Vancouver district Ralph Smith is an easy winner over his two opponents, Sloan and Wolley. In the outlying districts the two latter polled a better vote than the labor leader, but Nanaimo electors signified their approval of their representative by rolling up a splendid majority in his favor. The returns were as follows:

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who lived in clustered hovels outside the castle walls, in like manner gave rise to the word village.

Another wonderfully expressive phrase—"to run riot"—also comes from the hunting field. Fox-hounds run riot when they leave the drag of the fox and go racing and chasing off upon the scent of hares and rabbits, whose company the fox seeks when he finds himself pursued. Indeed, in fox-hunting parlance, hare-scent is known as "riot."

The familiar phrase "on the pad," as signifying going hither and yon, also throws back to Reynard the Fox. His feet are known technically as pads—when he gets up and begins to move about sportsmen say he is "on the pad."

Strange as it may seem, the word "tally-ho!" in a manner connects the hunting field with the coach. Tallia hors, pronounced tally-ho—Norman French for "out of the thicket"—was the proper cry when the fox broke cover. The huntsmen and the master of the fox-hounds answered the cry with long blasts of the horn. Then when the public coaches began to run, their horns blew the tally-ho blast; further, as luxury progressed, finer coaches often took to the road, and the throwing off, fine people who did not intend to follow the hounds, but to see them spectacularly. Between use and luxury, the coach with seats on top crystallized as the tally-ho. The tally-ho is likely to remain, unless all the world should go automobile mad.

Though the bankrupt is so common among us nowadays, few know whence he derived his unenviable cognomen. It is among the most interesting of words with histories. Lombards, money changers of Venice, sat on benches round about the plaza of St. Mark's. Banco is Italian for bench. When one of the money changers defaulted the others fell to and broke his bench in little pieces. Afterward he was known as "banco-rupto"—that is, the man of the broken bench. Hence comes our bankrupt.

These are only a few examples, but they serve to show how interesting is the study of word histories.—London Express.

IF THE LIVER IS DERANGED

There Is Sallow Complexion, Fulness About the Stomach and Pains in the Shoulders and Back—Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills Act Promptly and Directly on the Liver.

A sense of fulness and oppression about the stomach, a pale, sallow complexion and pain in the shoulders and back are among the first indications of a disordered liver. Then there comes indigestion, wind on the stomach, headache, coated tongue, a bitter taste in the mouth, depression of spirits and despondency.

The bowels become irregular and constipation and looseness alternate. The bile left in the blood by an inactive liver poisons the blood and causes liver spots, blotches and pimples.

The prescription from which Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are prepared was perfected by the doctor in his immense practice, and has proven the greatest liver regulator ever discovered. It acts directly and promptly on the liver, making it active and vigorous as a filtering organ. At the same time it regulates and tones up the kidneys and bowels and sets the whole filtering and excretory system in healthy working order.

In these days of experimenting with all sorts of new, untried remedies, appliances and treatments it is a comfort and pleasure to know that you can turn to this prescription—Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills—and find a certain cure for the many dangerous and complicated disorders of the liver, kidneys and bowels. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edman's, Bates & Co., Toronto.

CAPE WINES.

The wines known as Constantia are obtained by stopping the natural fermentation of the "must" or juice, either by the addition of alcohol or sugar or by allowing the grapes to be so ripe when gathered as to contain a percentage of sugar sufficient to arrest fermentation. Red and white Muscatel, Frontignac, and Pontac grapes are chiefly used in the making of Constantia. In some cases the grapes are allowed to become raisins before they are pressed. Although this class of wine is made in most parts of the colony, it everywhere bears the name of Constantia, from the district where it was originally made.

It is now admitted that the attempt to make light wines from grapes more suitable for heavy sweet wines is a mistake; yet palatable light wines, both red and white, are made in many districts. For this the grapes are gathered when they contain about 18 or 20 per cent. of sugar, are then crushed and allowed to ferment. In making red wines, the juice is allowed to ferment on the husks, in order to extract the color. Some of the most important colonial wine merchants make a practice of buying the "must" from the farmers ready pressed; then the racking, etc., after fermentation is done under their own surveillance. In the making of light wines the varieties of grapes used are Sauvignon blanc, Cabernet sauvignon, Pontac, Hermitage (French grape), Stein, green grape, and Hannepot. The latter is a large, fleshy fruit of the Muscat species, and is in much request for table use.

The amount of wine obtained per thousand vines in the coast district is from one to one and a half heiglers—a heigler being 127 imperial gallons. Most of the brandy in this district is very rarely distilled from the doppel or husks of the grape after the "must" has been extracted.—Chambers's Journal.

LITTLE BRAVES.—On time a quarter-box "Purgers" are quitting the field in whole battalions. Dr. Agnew's Little Pills at 10 cents a vial are driving them out at all points. Because they act gently, more effectively, never pain, and are easy to take. Sick Headache succumbs to one dose. Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall & Co.—Ed.

ONLY TWO DAYS LEFT.

Great Clearing Sale, FOR 10 DAYS

Commencing 1st November

Ladies' Tailor-made Suits	.....	\$ 5.00
Ladies' Top Skirts; from \$1.50 up	.....
Ladies' Knitted Underskirts	.....	.35
Ladies' Satin Blouses	.....	2.50
Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers	.....	1.00
Ladies' Flannelette Blouses, velvet collar	.....	.50
Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns (full size)	.....	.50
Ladies' Flannelette Drawers	.....	.15
Ladies' Kid Gloves, Gloves from 50c up	.....
Ladies' Woollen Vests	.....	.40
Ladies' Wool and Cotton Vests, mixed	.....	.20
Ladies' Woollen Hose	.....	.15
Ladies' Umbrellas (steel rod)	.....	.65
Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs (per doz.)	.....	.35
Ladies' Fur Lined Cape	.....	\$11.00
Ladies' Fur Cape	.....	2.00
Ladies' Fur Boas of every description, from \$1.00 up	.....
Ladies' Dress Goods, all kinds, from 20c a yard up	.....
Silk, by the yard, from 25c up	.....
Boys' Overcoats	.....	1.50
Men's Scotch Woollen Underwear	.....	.90
Men's Umbrellas (steel rod)75

Men's Over-Shirts, Neckties, Socks, Gloves and Suspenders at half price.

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986 pairs of Sample Boots to be sold TO-MORROW,

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Every pair must be sold to make room for new goods daily arriving, and because these special pairs are strictly Sample Boots and therefore not desirable for regular stock. Read on:

Rubbers

None but 1st Grade

Men's Plain Overs	50c
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Men's Hip Boots	\$4.45
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The above rubber items are made expressly for us by the Berlin Rubber Mfg. Co., and are warranted to us by the makers.

The Best Shoes on earth at \$3.50 a pair!

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Infants' soft sole Boots in Red, Tan and Black	10c
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Cork Insoles	5c
Laces free with shoes, or 3 pair for	5c

BOYS' BOOTS

Buff Boots in Lace, sizes 11 to 5	95c
Calf Boots in Lace, Heavy Soles, all sizes	1.40
Heavy Grain School Boots, all sizes	1.05

HOUSE SLIPPERS

Men's \$2.00 kind	1.40
Men's \$1.50 kind	1.10

Ladies' Old "Comfort"	75c
Ladies' 1 Strap Dongola	95c
Ladies' 1 Strap Vici	1.40
Ladies' 2 Strap Vici	1.40
Ladies' 2 Strap Vici (high heels)	1.40

Felt Shoes

Ladies' Felt Julietto, fur trimmed, in Black and Brown

Same as above, in Red

Ladies' Felt Romeo's, in Black only

Ladies' Felt Slippers, in Black, Brown and Colors, Flexible soles

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The Felt Stock is surpassed by none.

The materials used are the best; and the prices you'll admit are more than fair. Buy them now. Later they'll cost more.

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The "Shoes" mentioned above are "Oxford" styles.

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Ladies' Fine Lace Boots

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HOUNDING DEER.

To the Editor.—Is there a law forbidding man to lie? If so, it is about time a stop was put to the wholesale lying of Lake district.

I noticed in your paper of the 27th an account of seven deer being run into the waters of Elk lake and killed on Thanksgiving Day by parties who are running their hounds almost daily. Then he goes on to say parties that are running every Sunday, which makes the matter sound entirely different.

I can't help wondering how many Sundays they have in a week over that side of the lake for parties to be running hounds on a Sunday every day in the week.

Over this side of the lake we have only one Sunday in a week, and find it quite sufficient, leaving us no time to get up untruthful stories.

After enquiring around our little civilized district I have ascertained as regards the killing of seven deer, that it is as big a falsehood as ever appeared in black and white.

Some deer had been bothering a neighbor's carrots, and dogs were turned in there for the purpose of getting rid of them, and not one single deer was killed that day.

If there was one run into Elk lake that is the only one, and it was not killed. He lives to fight another day.

The writer of the untruthful letter asked the question: "Is there no law forbidding the hunting of deer with hounds?" forgetting, I presume, that there is a law, it is not in this world in the next, forbidding man to lie, and he need not ask "who is the officer appointed to see after that matter?" H. T. O.

AN OFFICIAL REPLY TO "1000."

To the Editor.—Although not wishing to express an opinion either for or against the proposed Mainland connection via the Victoria & Sidney railway, I must take exception to "1000's" remarks, wherein he states that "such a combination on the part of the C. P. N. Company and E. & N. Railroad Company."

I beg to state there is no combination between this company with either the C. P. N. Company or C. P. Railway. I also beg to state that this company is prepared to handle freight in original cars ex Canadian Pacific Railway destined for Victoria or any point on the line of this railway at a paying rate, but not at the current rate of one dollar per ton. Your readers will quite understand that because this

company will not handle one car for Victoria, which would, in all probability, necessitate a special trip of the Transfer to Ladysmith and the returning of an empty car to Vancouver, it is no reason that a combination exists between this and the C. P. N. Co.

I make the statement for the E. & N. railway, that we are prepared to handle in original cars all freight ex C. P. R. at a fair rate.

GEO. L. COURTNEY,
Traffic Manager.

THE FERRY SCHEME.

To the Editor.—It is singular about the new ferry scheme now before the people of Victoria.

A company that owns half the stock of the E. & N. railway, and prevents the C. P. railway from taking loaded cars to Victoria, via Nanaimo, now comes forward and asks the people of Victoria to subsidize a ferry.

What for? Why to bring loaded cars to Victoria, but not via Nanaimo.

D. CAMERON,
Shawnigan, B. C., Nov. 5th, 1900.

A CHEMIST SPEAKS OF Predigested Food.

"After having tested and tried every form of predigested food on the market, and experimenting in my own family, my attention was attracted to an article headed 'Brawny Food' Diet," mentioning eggs and Grape-Nuts. I carefully tested the new food and finally began its use in my family, with most gratifying results.

"My little boy at that time was a pale, anemic child and very poorly nourished. Now, thanks to Grape-Nuts, he is as fine a specimen of infantile strength as I could wish for. My own personal experience means much to me. For some years I was troubled with dyspepsia; that is, I could not eat bread or any preparation of boiled wheat flour, such as cake or any of the starchy preparations, without a fit of indigestion, sour stomach, constiveness, and headache.

"As soon as I quit that sort of food and used Grape-Nuts, which has the starch part predigested, I began to recover. The change has been remarkable. I formerly weighed 122 pounds and now weigh 137. Am strong, have more nerve force than I ever possessed, appetite perfect, sleep sound and can endure any amount of work. I know exactly where the change has come from, and it is from your truly scientific and wonderful food, which is worthy of the highest recommendation."

Chas. B. Prior, C. of P. Class '94, Middletown, N. Y.

IMPORTED MOUNTS.

A South African Who Supplied Cavalry With Horses Visits Victoria.

Vernon L. Mogford, of South Africa, arrived in the city some time ago and registered at the Queen's. Mr. Mogford's native home is Rosebank, a ranch situated about two or three miles from Capetown. Prior to his coming to this country, and while the war was at its height, he managed a very successful business by importing mules from South America and horses from Australia, and sending them to the interior for the use of the British troops. He said that he has imported as many as 1,000 mules from Buenos Ayres for that purpose in one shipment, and 15,000 horses from Australia in three months. The sea voyage was very hard on the animals, although the horses could stand the voyage better than the mules. Mr. Mogford said that the average loss of mules by death during the voyage from South America to Capetown was two in every hundred.

In speaking of the war, he said that he was in Capetown on the arrival of the first Canadian contingent, and the people were almost wild with excitement, as cheer upon cheer greeted the soldiers when they paraded the streets of Capetown for the first time.

Mr. Mogford related a very interesting incident illustrating the tyranny of the Transvaal government before the British stepped in. He said that a soldier was not allowed to walk on the streets of Johannesburg, and that for no offence whatever—perhaps were often up at court and fined a substantial sum. If they did not, or could not, pay, they were flogged with a cat-of-nine-tails.

He said that quite a number of men from South Africa are on the coast waiting for the spring, when they will go to Dawson or some other district in the Yukon Territory. Before leaving for Victoria Mr. Mogford met a few men who had at one time worked in the Johannesburg mines, and who had left for the purpose of trying their luck in the Yukon. They were of the opinion that there was more money to be made in South Africa than at Dawson. Johannesburg was in a very flourishing condition when Mr. Mogford left, and about 20,000 men were being employed in the Rand mines. Mr. Mogford will leave for the North in the early part of the spring.

A landslide occurred some time ago in Sattel, Switzerland. An inn and its garden and outbuildings slid down the hillside a distance of 35 feet without being in the least injured. Two stately elms in the garden were also moved without injury.

Along the Waterfront.

Wreckage has been found on the West Coast.

Coast. Captain Johnson, of the schooner Nellie G. Thurston, which arrived at Seattle from Nome on Monday evening, reports that on Friday, November 2nd, while about 200 miles from Cape Flattery, the crew discovered, as daylight approached, that the schooner was passing through a great quantity of wreckage. There was a seventy-mile wind-blown at the time, and it was utterly impossible to closely examine any of the wreckage. Much lumber of one-inch, one and one-half-inch and four-inch sizes was seen. Apparently a portion of this had been the upper works of some vessel, as it was painted white on the exterior, and on the interior blue. There was some material that was painted only on one side, this being white. A lifeboat, thought to be of metal, was also sighted. This boat was partially submerged, but the captain believes it to have been about twenty-five feet long. This boat was also painted white on the outside with blue interior, and in the end, which was above water, was a tank, supposed to be an air chamber. The tank was painted yellow. Capt. Johnson states that this wreckage was scattered along for a distance of twenty miles from the place where first sighted. It was composed of the class of timbers mentioned, and some port lights and windows were also seen. Fifty miles beyond the bulk of the wreckage Capt. Johnson sighted a tank painted yellow and of a diamond shape, which was similar to that seen in the wrecked lifeboat. This tank being very light was out of the water and was rolling over and over before the wind. From the distance intervening between this tank and the bulk of the heavier wreckage, Capt. Johnson inclines to the opinion that the wreck, whatever it was, occurred some time within the twenty-four hours preceding the time that he first sighted it.

He is inclined to believe that it was probably about fifteen hours or even less. Capt. Johnson, who is now in Seattle, will be perfectly willing to give assistance to any person who desires to determine what boat was wrecked. Capt. Johnson also reports that three days after leaving Dutch Harbor he passed a lot of wreckage, consisting of spars, rigging with wire rope, and small timbers.

British ship Springbank, which arrived at San Francisco the other day, had a eventful voyage. While rounding the Horn she had a terrible time of it, and many of her sails were blown away. But luck came with the end of the voyage, the captain's wife presenting him with an heir. The decks were swept during the heavy weather and much water got down into the forehold. Much cement was in the cargo, and 1,400 barrels of it are "cemented" together so tightly that it will take crowbars to get the barrels apart. About forty-two pianos that formed part of the cargo were also ruined.

Steamer Al-Ki has brought news to the Sound that the Yukon is now filled with ice, and in places frozen over. Dufferin Pattullo, chief clerk in the office of the gold commissioner at Dawson, has made an estimate of the general output of gold of the Yukon this year. He says that last year the output was \$15,000,000 to \$17,000,000; this year \$20,000,000, and that next year it will reach \$25,000,000. Shipments of dust from Dawson to the outside by the lower river and the upper river routes this season are shown by records in the office of the United States consul to have amounted during the period from May 1st to October 10th, this year, to the magnificent total of \$14,400,500. Vice-Consul H. T. Roller, in charge of the Dawson consulate, gives the following summary of gold shipments from Dawson to the outside, by months for the season of 1900: May, \$261,000; June, \$6,797,200; July, \$2,450,750; August, \$1,054,700; September, \$1,929,440; October (to 17th day), \$1,238,400; total, \$14,400,500.

The following plan for the tempering of tools has been recommended by a French technician. The tools are heated to red heat, and are then plunged two or three times into a mixture made by dissolving ten parts by weight of resin in five parts of fish oil, and stirring in two and a half parts of melted tallow. The tools are then re-heated to dull redness and plunged into cold water.

Personal.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 8-5 a.m.—Another high barometer area accompanied by fair weather is spreading inland over this province, where it may hover for a day or two and cause sharp frosts at night throughout the Pacific slope. Rain has fallen on Vancouver Island, the Lower Mainland and the Californian coast, and is still falling over Western Washington. High winds and mild weather prevail in Alberta, while in Manitoba it is comparatively cold.

Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday, Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fair and cool, frosts at night. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and cool, sharp frosts at night.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 48; minimum, 45; wind, 24 miles N.; rain, .04; weather, fair.
New Westminster—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, 48; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .12; weather, cloudy.
Nanaimo—Wind, W.; weather, clear.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 40; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles S.E.; weather, fair.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.15; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Everybody travels on the Fast Steamer Rosalie. Follow the crowd.

Smoke the S. N. and Yukon Cigars, manufactured by S. Norman.

City Band's large orchestra for dance, Nov. 9th.

You will find it in the B. C. Guide; 5c per copy, 50c per year, in all book stores in B. C.

Fresh Oysters Daily from our own beds at Sooke. Wholesale or retail, by sack or gallon. Apply New England Hotel.

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Don't miss the prize cake walk after the concert by City Band Friday night, Nov. 9th.

The city council will hold a special meeting to-morrow afternoon to hear from the owners of the shacks recently condemned by the sanitary inspector reasons why these should not be destroyed.

Str. "Victorian." Fare 50c to Seattle.

At the organization meeting of the Metropolitan "Outlook Club," formed by the young men of the Metropolitan Methodist church and their friends, the following were elected officers: President, Rev. E. S. Rowe; vice-president, L. Goodacre; secretary, D. J. Giffin; treasurer, A. Lee; executive committee, A. C. Mallet, H. Siddall and T. R. Cusack. The committee will immediately make arrangements for the taking over of the old Methodist church on Pandora street.

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The mayor and council meet at the city hall at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon to consider the Railway Ferry by-law.

Canadian Boys' Celebration—Buy your fireworks, rockets, Roman candles, etc., from Hitt Bros., Victoria West. Phone 290.

Far West Lodge, No. 1, K. of P., will hold their usual weekly meeting to-morrow evening, when important business will be discussed.

A member of the local syndicate which purchased the copper mines at Quatsino, states that the negotiations were begun and brought to a successful issue by D. W. Higgins, ex-M.P.P.

Victoria Lodge, No. 16, K. of P., will hold a meeting this evening in the K. of P. hall, Broad street. Work in the third degree will come up, and final arrangements will be made for the social to be held on the 15th.

San Francisco Saloon Pilot Broad, 10c. lb., at Jameson's, 33 Fort street.

A serious stabbing affair occurred in a Chinese shack on Government street last evening, which resulted in two Chinese, Ah Tim and Young Tim, receiving dangerous wounds, the former in the leg and the latter in the head. They were removed to the Jubilee hospital, where they are progressing as favorably as can be expected.

Promenade concert at the drill hall Saturday night.

The funeral of the late Mamie Francis Hutchison took place this morning from the family residence, No. 11 Avalon road, at 9:30 o'clock, and from the Roman Catholic cathedral at 10 o'clock. The Rev. Father Althoff conducted the religious services both at the church and grave. The following acted as pallbearers: S. Sea, Jr., P. Jackson, J. S. Byrne, W. Bryce, M. Steel, and D. Steel.

Just received direct from England, a complete stock of Hockey Sticks, Footballs, Walking Sticks, etc., at Henry Short & Sons.

By telegraphic advice, received by the mayor, it is known that Corporal O'Dell has recovered sufficiently to resume his travel westward. He left Halifax this morning, and may therefore be expected to reach home next Tuesday. The balance of the returning South African contingent were at Sulbury, Ontario, yesterday; consequently they could not reach Victoria until Saturday or Monday evening. Nothing definite, however, is as yet known whether they will stay over in Winnipeg or other places en route.

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THE PASSING THING.

Arrivals of the Day at City Hotels—Gossip of the Courtiers.

M. McCabe, proprietor of the Wilson hotel, was one of the passengers to arrive on the Danube on Wednesday evening. Mr. McCabe has been in Dawson during the season, but was more recently in Bennett. This erstwhile promising community, he says, is now in the process of decadence, and unless some adventitious circumstance of a favorable nature occurs, stagnation will rule as far as Bennett's progress is concerned.

Mr. McCabe, while conceding that many of the recent strikes in the North have bright prospects, points out that so far the development is only in its preliminary stage, and it would be useless to make any predictions. For instance, there was considerable talk regarding the Porcupine country. Some of the creeks have shown some excellent indications, but further prosecution of work might disclose a barren prospect or it might show great richness.

Victor Heather, of Winnipeg, is making a short visit with R. C. Alexander. Mr. Heather is leaving for Frisco Saturday evening on the Walla Walla.

J. E. Evans, British Columbia manager of the Union Mutual Assurance Company, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

T. B. Grand, chief officer of the ship J. B. Brown, and his wife and child are registered at the Hotel Victoria.

James M. Helm, of Dawson, is registered at the Queen's.

Capt. J. W. Johnson, of Sidney, is at the Dominion.

GRAU OPERA COMPANY

Will Open an Engagement at the Victoria on Monday.

Commencing Monday, November 12th, Grau's opera company will begin a five nights' engagement at the Victoria, the theatre at people's prices, 25c, 50c, and 75c, presenting the greatest repertoire of opera ever seen in Victoria. In the matter of the selection of operas for presentation by Mr. Grau and his organization the question of expense has not been considered. The repertoire offers the best in the operatic market. Mr. Grau has obtained the exclusive right to many of these New York and London successes, and they are presented by no other company. The same conscientious spirit has characterized the selection of the artists who are associated with Mr. Grau and is surrounding himself with an expensive company he has given expression to his determination to give every opera a worthy presentation. That the public appreciates and will support performances of this character is proven by the long series of successful engagements in the large cities of the East.

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PRaise FOR C. P. R. OFFICERS.

Passengers on the Empress of Japan Deny a Report in the Colonist.

The following letter is self explanatory: Victoria, B. C., Nov. 8th, 1900.

To the Agent C. P. R.:

Referring to the statement in yesterday morning's local newspaper that a panic occurred during the collision on Tuesday morning, we, the undersigned passengers, seeing that this report may be copied into other newspapers and so reflect injuriously on the discipline maintained on board the R. M. S. Empress of Japan, hasten to place on record the fact that this statement is not only absolutely without foundation, but exactly contrary to fact. The occurrence was characterized by the greatest calmness on the part of all. The orders issued by the commander to meet possible contingencies were promptly and quietly carried out by the officers and crew, and in a few minutes after the occurrence the crew were standing by the boats prepared to lower away should occasion render it necessary. Meanwhile, the commander having ascertained that the ship was in no danger, the passengers returned to their cabins.

We gladly take this opportunity of assuring the owners that the commander and the officers and crew under his orders showed all the qualities expected of seamen in an emergency of this nature, and we further desire to express our sympathy with them in this unfortunate occurrence.

Signed, Chas. B. Noyes, Capt. U. S. Army; G. P. Brown, Col. Military Attache in China; K. Ozawa; K. E. Reid; E. Clifton Jansen; H. Skott; J. Nathan; R. B. Manahan, and others.

Has cycle construction (asks the writer of the Cycle Notes in the Sketch) reached finally, and will any change in the future be merely matters of detail? It is hazardous to talk of finality in regard to mechanics, because mechanics is not a stationary but a progressive science. We have had the diamond frame for a number of years; but that proves nothing. I should not be at all surprised to hear that a really useful bicycle of another shape has been invented. But who is going to invent a truly non-patentable tire?

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1,500 Boys' Odd Pants.

Boys' Navy Blue Serge Pants, strongly made and lined throughout, sizes 22 to 28 FRIDAY, 25c. Pair Boys' Grey and Brown Tweed Pants, in sizes 22 to 28, regular 75c FRIDAY, 45c. Pair Boys' Extra Quality Tweed Pants, hard to wear kind, all sizes 75c. Pair

1,250 Yards Black Dress Goods.

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Ministers

United

In Their Demand For the Punish-
ment of the Guilty Chinese
Officials.

The Two Native Commissioners
Recognize That There Is
No Escape.

(Associated Press.)

Pekin, Nov. 7, via Shanghai, Nov. 8.—
The ministers had another meeting
yesterday at which considerable pro-
gress was made. It is expected that
they soon will be ready to meet the Chi-
nese plenipotentiaries.

In the usual course they will appoint
a committee to prepare the demands of
the powers and their work will then be
submitted to approval. It is likely that
this will cause some delay, owing to the
time occupied in telegraphing to the sev-
eral governments.

It is certain that the ministers' note
will contain the names of the officials
responsible for the trouble, including the
princes, with a demand for their punish-
ment and further demands for adequate
atonement, and the construction of a
monument to Baron von Ketteler, the
murdered German minister. In these
demands all the ministers unite.

The Chinese realize that it is necessary
for the government to punish those re-
sponsible for the outbreak. Li Hung
Chang and Prince Ching again have tele-
graphed to the throne, declaring that
the powers will insist upon the infliction
of punishment, and that escape from the
demand is impossible.

General Wilson sailed from Taku on
Monday. He is due to arrive in San
Francisco on December 17th.

Your correspondent learns from Chi-
nese sources that Li Hung Chang asked
the Washington government to make
General Wilson a peace commissioner,
because of his wide knowledge of Chi-
nese affairs.

A rumor of the death of the Dowager
Empress caused much excitement here,
but it has not been confirmed and not
believed.

The Chinese officials declare that they
have not heard anything official on the
subject.

Annexed By Russia.

Tien Tsin, via Shanghai, Nov. 8.—Gen.
Linsowitch, the commander of the Russian
troops, has officially notified the foreign
consuls, through the Russian consul,
that the land on the riverside opposite
the British and German settlements has
been annexed to Russia by right of con-
quest. Unless the foreign owners of
property immediately deposit documents
proving their ownership, no claims will
be entertained. Much railroad property,
as well as the east arsenal, are includ-
ed in the territory annexed by Russia.
The consuls will protest against the
annexation.

BADEN-POWELL'S HUMOR.

The Cape Times reports a speech of
Lieut. General Baden-Powell during the
recent festivities at the Cape. Mounting
the rostrum, he said in far-reaching tones:
"Ladies and Gentlemen—You have had
your say. Let me have mine. (Laughter.)
And I don't want to be long about it. I
have only one word to say, and that is,
'Thank you.' (Cheers.) I had a very
warm reception when I arrived here the
other day. (Laughter.) I had a long, tall
man carrying my hat; I had a short man
carrying my head; and I was told that
when I arrived at Government House,
(Great laughter.) But there was one man
present who caught hold of my pockets
and saved my money for me—(roars of
laughter)—and, wherever he is, I thank
him from my heart. (Laughter.) Since
then I have had to go about in disguise.
You may have seen a man with a mighty
fine beard walking around. That was me.
(Laughter and cheers.) I got on the out-
skirts of one of these crowds. They were
all running, and I heard two fellows talk-
ing. One said, 'What's up?' and the other
said, 'I believe it's B. P.' (Great
laughter.) They ran for a bit, and then
they said, 'Oh, it's only a blooming ac-
cident.' (Renewed laughter.) I am rather
keen on accidents myself, and to be reck-
oned higher than an accident is a great
honor. (Laughter.) Now, seriously, I am
quite overwhelmed with the welcome you
have given me, but I am not so conceited
as not to know for whom the welcome is
really meant. It is for those who were
with me up north. (Prolonged cheers.)
And from my heart I thank you on behalf
of those who were with me, and for the
generous way in which you have recogniz-
ed the work they have been doing.
(Cheers.) There were some of your own
people there. I saw here a lot of men
from the Salt River Works; in Mafeking
we had the railway workmen, and they
ran half the show with the armored train.
You have your cyclists, and the cyclists
up there did right good work; they got
through with dispatches from Lord Ro-
berts when nobody else could do so."
(Cheers.)

SHIPPING NEWS

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY ALONG
THE WATERFRONT.

VICTORIA TIDES.

By F. Napier Denton.

The zero of the accompanying scale corre-
sponds to the average lowest yearly
tide, and 18.6 feet above the sill of the
Esquimalt dry dock.

Friday, Nov. 9.		Saturday, Nov. 10.	
Time.	Height above zero.	Time.	Height above zero.
6:10 a.m.	8.0 feet.	7:30 a.m.	8.0 feet.
10:30 a.m.	7.6 feet.	11:00 a.m.	7.6 feet.
3:00 p.m.	8.5 feet.	3:40 p.m.	8.4 feet.
10:26 p.m.	0.8 feet.	11:10 p.m.	1.2 feet.

According to present calculations the
delay of the R. M. S. Empress of Japan
will not be as long as was first supposed.
The Albion Iron Works have commenc-
ed making temporary repairs on the
ship, and expect to complete the work
in three or four days. They will not
remove any plates below the deck of the
ship, and will only remove the ragged
portions above, rebuilding where neces-
sary with heavy timbers. Permanent
repairs, as stated, will be effected at
Hongkong. The vessel, as she lies at the
outer wharf, has been given a big list to
starboard in order to permit of the re-
pairs being made. All the passengers
remain aboard and many are taking in
the sights of Victoria. As for the R.
R. Palmer, the bark with which the
Japan was in collision, the vessel so far
as known has not reached her port of
destination on the Sound, although the
American tug Pioneer, which is now
down the Straits, may bring her in be-
fore night.

The Cottage City, from Alaska ports,
arrived last evening with 90 passengers
and another large consignment of bul-
lion from the Treadwell mines. She left
Skagway about the same time as the
steamer Danube, now in port, and there-
fore brought a small budget of news
from the northern interior. The White
Horse Tribune reports that the British-
American Corporation have purchased
the White Horse copper properties, the
price mentioned being \$1,000,000. It
was reported at Skagway that "Sailor
Bill" Partridge, who had just arrived
there from Atlin, had 111 sacks of ore
from the Anaconda group of mines,
which are now in dispute, and which he
is bringing out to have its value tested.

The leak in the steamship Duke of
Fife, which put back to port in distress,
on Monday morning, has been discover-
ed and longshoremen are to-day engaged
in reloading the vessel. Below the wa-
ter line it was found, when 750 tons of
the ship's cargo had been discharged,
that some screws pertaining to a port
had been loosened when the vessel was
being buffeted about in the storm and
that the packing around the frame had
started. To remedy the defect was an
easy task, and so the work of loading
was commenced.

Steamer Charmer left Vancouver
at 1:25, and connected with the train.

Steamer Danube sails for Skagway
this evening.

Sporting News

BASKET BALL.
PRACTICING FOR THE COMING
MATCH.

Members of the J. B. A. A. team are re-
quested to attend practices which will be
held each evening until their match with
the representative team of the Seattle
Athletic Club in the drill hall on Novem-
ber 17th.

ATHLETICS.

HIGH SCHOOL FIELD DAY.
The postponed field day of the High
school is being held on the recreation
grounds, Yates street, this afternoon, and
the programme as already outlined in these
columns is being adhered to.

The "teleplastic" invented by two en-
gineers of Berlin reproduces figures in re-
lief by telegraph, and may be useful in
telegraphing the features of criminals. A
frame of movable rods, something like
what hatters take the shape of the head
with, is pressed on the figure in relief, and
each rod sends an electric current which
acts on another set of movable rods at
the other end of the wire, adjusting them
so as to reproduce the relief.

Under British rule, the cotton crop of
Egypt has doubled, and now amounts to
over 500,000,000 lbs. a year.

Crouching
In every cough there
lurks, like a crouching
tiger, the probabilities
of consumption.
The throat and lungs
become rough and
inflamed from
coughing and the
germs of consump-
tion find an easy
entrance. Take no
chances with the
dangerous foe.

For sixty years
there has been a
perfect cure. What
a record! Sixty
years of curing colds
and coughs, of all kinds.

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Cherry
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throat and lungs. You escape an
attack of consumption with all its
terrible suffering and uncertain re-
sults. There is nothing so bad for
the throat and lungs as coughing.
A 25c. bottle will cure an ordi-
nary cough; harder coughs will
need a 50c. size; the dollar bottle
is cheapest in the long run.

Durable Fit

When a garment, say a light overcoat,
doesn't fit, most of the weight hangs up-
on one particular part, puts that part out
of shape any way, maybe wears it out;
that is not a durable fit.
So be sure of the fit.

Our short top coats, made of covert
cloths, whipcords and tweeds, newest
shades and weaves, are made to rest
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and back, thoroughly well tailored and
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of being in a hurry for a top coat on a
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WEDNESDAY—"EL CAPITAN."
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